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Bureau of Land Management
Western Oregon Plan Revisions Office
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October 2, 2007

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Bureau of Land Management's plan is to increase nearly three-fold the logging that occurs on BLM's lands in western Oregon. This proposal contemplates a return to clearcut logging on lands that provide habitat for spotted owls, marbled murrelets, salmon, and other species. To accomplish this aim, the BLM proposes to jettison provisions of the Northwest Forest Plan that protect scarce wildlife, belying the claim that the plan will continue to protect owl and murrelet habitat. It appears that the Bush operatives in Oregon are back to their old tricks.

This Environmental Impact Statement for the western Oregon revisions should be rejected in its entirety.

Sincerely


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